

Proper Adjectives

Proper adjectives are adjectives made from proper nouns (specific names of people, places, or things). Proper adjectives are always capitalized just like proper nouns.

ex) **America** [proper noun]➔ **American** [proper adjective]

Directions: Write PA in the blank space if the word provided is a proper adjective. If it isn't, write x in the blank space.

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| 1. Americanized | 1. _____ |
| 2. Mexican | 2. _____ |
| 3. Biblical | 3. _____ |
| 4. Jewish | 4. _____ |
| 5. Tolstoyan | 5. _____ |
| 6. Maoist | 6. _____ |

Directions: Complete each sentence with a proper adjective formed from the noun given in the parentheses.

7. She used _____ software to create her presentation. (Microsoft)
8. They wore _____ gear during the marathon to stay cool and flexible. (Adidas)
9. The theory followed a _____ approach to physics, focusing on classical mechanics. (Newton)
10. She wore a stunning _____ dress to the cultural event. (Morocco)
11. Their wedding had a beautiful _____ theme with tropical flowers. (Hawaii)

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12. She bought the latest _____ smartphone because of its advanced features. (Apple)

13. The festival featured traditional _____ music and dancing. (Ireland)

14. The ancient _____ democracy inspired many political systems. (Athens)

15. The eccentric cuisine had a distinct _____ flavor, full of bold spices. (Sicily)

16. The _____ art scene flourished during the Renaissance. (Florence)

17. We admired the _____ architecture with its ornate canals. (Venice)

18. She brought her traditional _____ sweater to keep warm. (Iceland)

19. The _____ civilization was one of the earliest in history. (Mesopotamia)

20. The _____ monks practiced ancient meditation techniques. (Tibet)

21. The _____ calendar fascinated archaeologists worldwide. (Maya)

22. _____ dishes are diverse, flavorful, and nutritious. (Korea)

23. The _____ desert stretches across several Middle Eastern countries. (Syria)

24. _____ poetry is known for its beauty and depth. (Persia)

25. For Valentine's Day, Bobby bought some _____ chocolate for his partner while visiting Geneva. (Switzerland)

